

**REPORT/RECOMMENDATION TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA  
AND RECORD OF ACTION**

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**May 4, 2004**

**FROM:** Patrick J. Mead, Interim Director  
Department of Public Works – **Flood Control**

**SUBJECT: AGREEMENT WITH SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON FOR THE EXTENSION  
OF ELECTRICAL LINES AT DEER CANYON DAM AND SNOW DROP ROAD  
NORTH OF RANCHO CUCAMONGA**

**RECOMMENDATION:** Acting as the governing body of the Flood Control District (District), approve agreement with Southern California Edison (SCE) allowing for the extension of electrical distribution lines at Deer Canyon Dam and Snow Drop Road North of Rancho Cucamonga

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** The District's Design Division has determined the need for electrical power to operate surveillance cameras for the detection of debris flows entering Deer Canyon Dam, North of the City of Rancho Cucamonga. The need has increased due to the wild fires during October 2003 that have resulted in a lack of foliage on the sides of the mountains. SCE's Risk Management, under the guidance of the Public Utility Commission (PUC), requires an agreement (Rule No. 15) for work of this nature, which is now on file with the PUC. SCE requires the agreement (with appendices) to be executed by the District. This agreement delineates each party's responsibilities and requires that the District indemnify SCE regarding the distribution line extension.

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY OTHERS:** This item was reviewed by Deputy County Counsel Charles S. Scolastico (387-5481) on April 22, 2004 and by the County Administrative Office (Tom Forster, Administrative Analyst, 387-4635) on April 25, 2004.

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:** The total cost to the District for the electrical distribution line extension is \$2,520.52, which was paid per County warrant 8604895 (RFA 091 091 200 2445 30 FO1814). This cost will be reimbursed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT(S):** 2<sup>nd</sup>

**PRESENTER:** Patrick J. Mead, 387-7906

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